

### TALENT NEWS

TALENT, July 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence of Medford were business callers in Talent, Saturday.

Pfc. Glym Hoffman stationed at Menlo Park, California is visiting his parents and friends on Wagner Creek.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Billie Beeson of Texas are visiting Mr. Beeson's parents Mr. and Mrs. Everett Beeson and others relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burnett and family of San Fernando, California were recent visitors at the Sam Willburn home, Mrs. Willburn is Mr. Burnett's mother.

The gym and main building at Talent school are both being remodeled and the football field is being lighted.

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**PRACTICALLY YOURS**

GIL LAMB  
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STARTS SUNDAY for 3 Days

They're in the NAVY now!

Bing CROSBY  
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**HERE COME THE WAVES**

Paramount Pictures

MATINEE SATURDAY  
CONTINUOUS SHOWS SUNDAY

vacation Bible school began Monday morning, July 16 and will close July 27 with an evening program and display of handwork accomplished. The Bible class is being conducted by the Friends and Methodist Churches. Teachers of the departments are beginners: Jo Walty, Vera Cook, Marie Furrer and Leola Lindstrom; primary; Lillian Frazier, Barbara Terrill and Alice May Woolley; Juniors: Margurita Moore, Louise Sample and George Bales, Genevieve Holdridge will be as superintendant and song leader and Lorena Robertson pianist. A picnic is planned at the close.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Bates and family spent a few days recently at Brookings, Oregon.

Junior Boardman is home on furlough after serving in Germany. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Boardman.

Mr. Alvin Fenton and Miss Mildred McCulley were married at a June wedding. Mr. Fenton attended the Talent schools. They are now living in Talent.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lushbaugh sold their property near the school and are now living next to the Talent barber shop.

Sgt. Bill Bates is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Bates and other relatives. He has been in the European Theater of war.

Mrs. Bertha Boatright is visiting her brother, Mr. B. Garrett at Hillsburg, California. She has not seen her brother for thirty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Carroll of near Trail called on friends in Talent Sunday.

Eugene Rogers visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bales the first of the week. Mr. Rogers was a college chum of Mr. Bales and is now employed as an

engineer for Bonneville Power. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bartol have returned to the valley after living near Seattle for the past six months.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Unruh and daughter Connie of Prospect visited friends in Talent Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Kamburg who was called to San Barnadino, California by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Frank Hart, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Boyd Hamilton of the Applegate area was a Talent visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morris and baby of Prospect were here on business Monday.

### Lions and Ladies Enjoy Potluck Meal

The regular meeting of the Lions club Tuesday evening, was held at the Civic clubhouse, with wives of the members as special guests. The dinner part of the meeting was a covered dish dinner, brought by the members and their wives. A bounteous meal, interspersed with fun and laughter was enjoyed by practically all of the Lions club members, and the roll call finding nearly every member present. The program of the evening was a series of musical selections presented by the Eva Price Accordion band of Medford, which consists of four girls, who presented a fine program of music on their accordions. William Allen of Ashland was a guest.

During the business session plans for the annual Lions picnic, to be held July 31 at Jackson Hot Springs were discussed, as was the matter of using the Civic club House for a permanent meeting place.

Next Tuesday's program was announced at the meeting this week and will feature a half hour program by Paulina Carter, widely known Ashland 15 year old girl, who has made a name for herself as a concert pianist. Miss Carter and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Carter came this week to spend a vacation with Mrs. Carter's mother, Mrs. L. A. Phillips.

Miss Carter has spent most of her summer vacations in Ashland with her grandmother, and while here last summer wrote the musical score to "Cinderella" and last winter orchestrated the composition. The past winter she has been studying under Max Rabinowitch, concert pianist in Los Angeles. She is a graduate of the Boston Conservatory of music and has received many prizes and citations for her work on the piano.

The Lions club is indeed honored by having her on the program for next week. The meeting will be held in the Civic club house, and all Lions members are urged to attend.

### Old Timer Observes His 93rd Birthday

(Contributed)  
"James Champion Smith better known as Dad Smith greeted his ninety-third birthday recently as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Stickler at a party in his honor"  
"Other guests which were present were Mrs. Alma Bauth and her two daughters Vista and Verna, Mr. and Mrs. Moor and family.

"The high spot of the evening as described by Mr. Smith was when the birthday cake was placed before him aglow with the light of 93 candles which had been arranged as a star on the top of the cake. Six small matching cakes, bearing the words, "Happy Birthday, James Champion Smith" each held five light-candles.

"Mr. Smith, as in other days made his wish and blew out the candles. One remained burning as though in tribute to another year of happiness.

"Dad was the recipient of many presents, and as he was wont to express it, the food was excellent. He was in high spirits and expressed his intention of spending another birthday as he did this one, in another year."  
The writer adds, "We certainly hope so."

### ELKS NEW LEADER



Wade H. Kepner

Wheeling, W. Va., civic leader elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at emergency wartime meeting held in New York City, July 16, 1945. Contrasting with Elks' Conventions of other years, attended by thousands of delegates, featuring ornate costumes and elaborate parades, the 1945 streamlined meeting was held quietly, without fanfare, and was attended by a small group, in keeping with wartime travel restrictions.

New York, N.Y. July 16.—Wade H. Kepner, business and civic leader of Wheeling, W. Va., was today elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and protective Order of Elks, succeeding Dr. Robert S. Barrett of Alexandria, Va. as head of the 700,000 members of the fraternal organization, in the United States and territorial possessions.

Complying with wartime restrictions on travel, the Elks this year cancelled their regularly scheduled 81st national convention which was to have taken place at this time in New York and Mr. Kepner was therefore elected by a special meeting attended by a smaller representative group of Elks Grand Lodge members and officials.

He is the first member from West Virginia to attain the rank of Grand Exalted Ruler, highest office in the fraternity.

Born in Wheeling July 11, 1902, Mr. Kepner in 1923 was graduated from Dartmouth College, and from Dartmouth College, and on September 22 of the following year he married Miss Martha Nay. They have three children, Helen, Betty and John.

The new grand exalted ruler of the Elks is vice-president of the Security Trust Company of Wheeling. He also owns three funeral homes there and is a past president of the National Selected Morticians and the West Virginia Funeral Directors Association.

See our display of Enamelware and dishes, at Marshall-Wells on the Plaza.

### YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED

Renee Bounds, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bounds of Ashland and Miss Gloria McGraw of Medford were united in marriage last Friday. Pronouncing the vows was Elder Clements of the Medford LDS church. The wedding took place at the Ashland Ward's temporary church meeting place, the Civic clubhouse. A wide circle of friends and members of the church were present for the affair, the first of the newly organized Latter Day Saints group here at Ashland. The young couple will make their home in Ashland. Renee has recently returned from service with the navy and was discharged a few months ago.

Mr. Bishop is survived by his wife, Mary Lulu Bishop, four sons C. F. Bishop; of Ashland; R. W. Bishop of Stockton, H. C. Bishop of Medford; R. H. Bishop of Oakland and nine grandchildren one great grandchild.

Fred S. Hadlock Jr. of Ashland was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct Saturday and forfeited his \$10 bail when he failed to appear in city court Monday. Donald Wesley Welch was arrested early Sunday morning on a charge of having improper operator's license. He was fined \$25 and costs, in city court but \$15 was suspended on condition of good behavior and payment of the balance of the fine. Arrested at the same time was Glenn Malvin Wilkins on disorderly conduct and refusing to obey an officer. He too was fined \$25 and costs with \$15 suspended on conditions of good behavior and payment of the balance of the fine. David Cardwell was arrested for being drunk in a public place.

### Rites Wednesday for George Bishop

George Bishop, 72, former Ashland resident died Wednesday July 11 at his home in Medford. His death came suddenly, although he had been in ill health for nearly five years following a stroke. Before this he had hardly known a days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary February 14th of this year. The deceased had been a member of the Odd Fellows lodge for 45 years, had transferred to Medford from Burnettsville, Indiana, 37 years ago. He was an attendant of the Methodist church.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday from the Conger Funeral Home and graveside services were under the auspices of the I.O.O.F. The Rev. A. J. Hanby had charge of the ser-

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## CASEY'S CAFE

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2. Do not set sprinkler so it will interfere with traffic on sidewalks.
3. Do not allow water to run off your property on streets, gutters, alleys or on your neighbor's property.
4. Do not have leaky faucets, water closets or fixtures on your premises.
5. WATER MUST BE TURNED OFF IMMEDIATELY IN CASE OF FIRE.
6. DO NOT RUN CITY WATER AT NIGHT BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10 P. M. AND 5 A. M. This restriction is to allow the orchardists on the high points to get sufficient water for their crops.

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